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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to and in accordance with the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed January 5, 2009, Applicant submits “only the **corrected sections** of the non-compliant amendment in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121.” Applicant requests the now compliant Preliminary Amendment be entered and considered.

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CONTINGENT EXTENSION REQUEST

If this communication is filed after the shortened statutory time period had elapsed and no separate Petition is enclosed, the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is petitioned, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), to extend the time for filing a response to the outstanding Office Action by the number of months which will avoid abandonment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.135. The fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 should be charged to our Deposit Account No. 15-0700.